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BY HAND

Honorable Laura T. Swain
United States District Court Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: Nadine Leach v. The City of New York, et al., 08 CV 3249 (LTS)

Dear Judge Swain:

I am an Assistant Corporation Counsel in the Special Federal Litigation Division of the New York City Law Department and counsel for defendant the City of New York. I write to respectfully request that the initial conference in this matter, which is currently scheduled for July 17, 2008, at 2:30 p.m., be rescheduled to a later date deemed appropriate by this Court. I have conferred with plaintiff's counsel, Michael Colihan, Esq., regarding this request and am writing with his consent to our application.

The reason for this request is that I will be engaged in a trial scheduled before Judge Charles P. Sifton in the Eastern District of New York in the case of Harwinder Vilkhv v. City of New York, et. al., 06 CV 2095 (CPS)(JO), which is scheduled to commence on July 14, 2008. The parties have estimated that the Vilkhv trial will last between four (4) to seven (7) days. In view of the foregoing, defendant City respectfully requests that the court grant an adjournment of the initial pretrial conference in this matter, which is currently scheduled for July 17, 2008, at 2:30 p.m., to a later date convenient to the court after the Vilkhv trial has concluded. This is the City's first request for an adjournment of the initial conference in this action.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

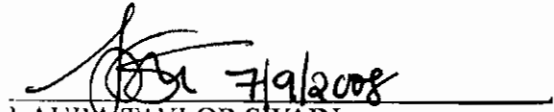


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*The conference is adjourned to
August 15, 2008, at 11:30 AM.*

SO ORDERED.



LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE